

will bring forth no one can tell. The Business Men's Association, concerning the basis proposed by the Central Labor Union Committee, is willing to take up the matter of wages, but will not make any concessions as to sympathetic strikes, boycotts or recognition of a union employed over a non-union one.

Jardine, a large transfer man, states he will take back forty union drivers Monday morning, who went out when the strike began, but not as union men. Nor will he discharge the non-union men he employed to fill vacancies. The teamsters' union officers say only twelve have agreed to return to work. Other transfer companies claim they will start in the morning with a full quota of drivers. Some of them are union men and some "strike breakers."

That the striking teamsters see they are losing ground is proven by their offer, as a body, to drop their demand for union recognition and allow the employers to hire whom they please. They will also eliminate the empty threat of sympathetic strikes and boycotts. All they now ask for is an advance in salary of \$5 per month. The transfer companies are firm in their requirements that if any of the old men are taken back it must be under the same regulations as prevailed prior to May 17. As to wages, they say that is a matter to be discussed after the union men have been employed. That they cannot treat with men who are not on their pay rolls.

As interest wanes, through the weakening of the Teamsters Union, in one direction it attains more force in another. The laundry workers may be the central figure tomorrow. All of the big laundries have issued statements that they would re-open with nonunion help, but the strikers say it is impossible. In order to partially offset the effect of the laundries re-opening, the striking employees have arranged to clean their own laundry.

They will send the old solicitors out Monday, and the laundry will be collected and sent to Plattsmouth. If it cannot be taken care of there, arrangements have been made at Fremont, where there is a large laundry. All of the "unfair" laundries will be collected at a distance of 100 feet from each establishment. There is no doubting the fact that Omaha needs some kind of an establishment where clean linen can be had. Clean collars and cuffs have become very scarce, and table cloths and napkins at the hotels and restaurants look as if they had been laundered in a dust storm. The waiters are still holding out with no indications of an early settlement. All trades are just where they were when the strike began. The bartenders decided not to strike, and will remain at work at the old prices. The same is true of the barbers. There is little doubt but what the butchers at the packing-houses will adjust their difficulty with their employers, each side making slight concessions.

AUSTRALIANS DISSATISFIED.

OPPOSED TO SURRENDER.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS-P.M.) MELBOURNE (Victoria) May 17.—(By Australian Cable.) Large numbers of the locomotive drivers and firemen who were recently on strike are intensely dissatisfied at the surrender of their Executive Committee to the conditions imposed by the government in the matter of the resump-

tion of work on the line. Because of the objection thereto, Premier Irvine consented to waive a condition concerning the non-employment of certain men and to employ all the strikers with the exception of the actual leaders on short time.

The men, however, still object to the other conditions imposed, and they have formed a strong committee to arrange for a resumption of the strike unless better conditions are conceded. For the present the strike time table remains in force, and few trains are running.

TRAINMEN'S HOME.

DENVER CONVENTION'S OBJECT. (BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS-P.M.) DENVER, May 17.—The National Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen will begin a ten-day secret session in this city tomorrow morning. All the officers of the national body and 700 delegates arrived today. They were accompanied by friends, which swelled the number to over 2,000. In all 300 delegates are expected to participate in the convention, and it is estimated that at least 25,000 persons will visit the city as a result of the convention. Most of the arrivals today were from the East and Canada. The delegation from Mexico also reached the city this afternoon.

One of the principal matters to come before the convention is the selection of a place for the trainmen's home. The city of Los Angeles, Buffalo and Denver are competing for the honor. Tomorrow morning the delegates will be called upon to consider the advisability of transferring the convention to some other city by the State on account of the strike now prevailing in Denver.

Representatives of the trainmen visited the General Executive Committee of the strikers this afternoon and requested that permission be granted striking locomotives and others to haul the baggage of the delegates to and from the depot. The Executive Committee turned down the request, although it is understood that the strikers were willing to help out the delegates. The night of delegates delving in trunks for clean linen in the baggage rooms at the Union Depot was not an uncommon one as a result.

YALE'S TEAMSTERS.

PRESIDENT HADLEY'S ATTITUDE.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) NEW HAVEN, May 17.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) President Hadley of Yale has refused to grant the request of the Trades Council Committee which called upon him to ask his son to compel six Yale students to cease working as teamsters. Dr. Hadley said:

"The Constitution of the United States guarantees to citizens the right to work, and those rights are possessed by Yale students as well as other citizens."

The committee protested that six Yale students went to work on three two-horse teams yesterday as strikebreakers. The committee requested President Hadley to demand that the students leave their work. Dr. Hadley replied, according to the committee, "The right of every citizen to work is a right which is not to be interfered with by the university, and in view of the fact that, at a funeral recently of Prof. J. W. Gibbs, striking hackmen compelled a non-union hackman to leave a funeral procession and break his contract, I do not see, just at present, my way clear to do as you suggest. I believe in the principle that no contract should be broken. It is the privilege of every citizen of the United States to sell his labor. Therefore, I do not see how we can attempt to prevent anybody from so doing."

MET THEIR DEATHS AT REBEL HANDS.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS-P.M.)

MANILA, May 17.—(By Manila Cable.)

Capt. Clough, Overton of the Philippine Cavalry and Private Noyes, who were killed May 15 in the battle of Marikina, met their death at the hands of insurgent prisoners, when they were guarding their captives in this duty. Private Harlow, who was wounded at the same time, Capt. Overton's troops had been scouting in the Department of the Marikina, Mindanao, on the trail of the insurgent leader Flores. The cavalrymen captured fifty of Flores' followers and confined them in a house at Marikina. Capt. Overton had three men remain to guard the prisoners, while Lieut. Cameron continued in pursuit of Flores. The prisoners suddenly broke out of the house where they were confined, secured their tools and pushed the four Americans on guard. Capt. Overton was slashed with a bolo and bled to death.

After escaping, the insurgents gathered and renewed the attack on the Americans. The cavalryman who was not wounded repulsed the enemy and defended the dead bodies until the return of Lieut. Cameron. Capt. Overton is credited for having kept only two to guard fifty men for neglecting to destroy the insurgents' bolos.

Flores is a Visayan, and the majority of his followers are Paganos, living in the Misamis Mountains. No Moros were concerned in the affair.

MARINE'S FUNERAL.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS-P.M.)

MANILA, May 17.—In spite of the fact that he died of cholera, the authorities permitted Marine, the Filipino political leader, to be given a public funeral, which took place today. Eight thousand natives marched from Marine's home to the church, and thence to the grave in La Loma cemetery. Hundreds of former insurgents, headed by Aguinaldo, took part in the ceremony.

AFFAIRS IN CAGAYAN.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS-P.M.)

WASHINGTON, May 17.—The Bureau of Insular Affairs of the War Department has received the annual report of Gov. Donagha of the province of Cagayan, P. I., for the year 1930. It says in part:

"The province of Cagayan, situated in the extreme northern part of the island of Luzon, has continued in a peaceful and tranquil condition since the establishment there of civil government, which was accomplished without the least disturbance or sign of disorder in September, 1921. The most complete peace has reigned. Prosperity has been prevented by the mortality of carabao and other diseases of cattle and horses. The prosperity followed by unexpected rising of the rivers, which overpowered land planted with corn. These things the carabao and horses, and the choice of rice, which while it has not wrought

much havoc, has greatly unsettled the minds of the people. The dire calamities mentioned, together with the depression in tobacco, which is the principal product of this soil, placed the inhabitants of the tobacco-raising province of the province in a state of dire straits. The people of the province should be given American teachers, and there should be established in the island institutions of higher learning, agriculture, arts and trades in the provincial capital for the education of the Cagayan youth."

THE PRIAR SITUATION.

FAVORS SPANISH BROTHERHOOD.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS-P.M.)

ROME, May 17.—(By Atlantic Cable.) There has been a change in the Philippine Islands in the friar situation, as there is now a movement in the archipelago in favor of the members of the Spanish Brotherhood. The new friars of the Spanish Brotherhood brought them to the decision voluntarily to leave the islands; they felt themselves, since the archipelago has been administered by the United States, to be in a position of inferiority. The Vatican has just received several petitions from the Philippines, asking it to prevent the departure of the friars.

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SCORNS THE SMART SET.

Andrew Carnegie Declares It is Not Taken Seriously Among Americans.

BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.

LONDON, May 18.—(Exclusive Dispatch.)

Andrew Carnegie left for Skibo Friday. He fled from three to four public engagements every day of his thirteen days' stay in London, and trail as he looks, seemingly was none the worse for his exertions. Nothing seems to have roused him while here so much as the suggestion that he belonged to the "Smart Set" in America.

"Do you think we belong to the smart set?" he exclaimed.

"Do you think I belong to it? No man of real influence in America takes those people seriously. All that the 'smart set' achieve is to make themselves ridiculous by playing at ease and by aping European aristocracy. We merely laugh at them. They count for absolutely nothing in the life of our nation."

"In America more than anywhere else, it is three generations from aristocracy to aristocracy. There is no single hereditary fortune in America which is not being split up. Aristocracy cannot exist without primogeniture and entail, and our laws know neither."

HOG SKIN BEATS RUBBER.

Scotchman to Build a Factory at Colorado Springs to Demonstrate the Possibilities of His New Discovery.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

COLORADO SPRINGS (Colo.) May 17.—(Exclusive Dispatch.)

John Muir & Sons, Beth, Scotland, claims to have invented a process for tanning hog hides so as to render them a substitute for rubber in cushion tires for vehicles of all kinds. The process makes the skin hard, durable, and equally satisfactory. Muir came here direct from New York, where he sold American rights to manufacture a tannery plant in the city.

The plant will be erected immediately, and all parties interested will be invited to investigate. A factory will be built to supply the demand, which is expected to be large. Similar rights have already been sold for Scotland, Ireland, and other European countries. Muir is confident of immediate and general recognition of his invention. The substitute which he offers is superior and cheaper than rubber. The price of rubber is now \$1.50 per pound, and is expected to increase, owing to the shortage of rubber trees, and the long time required to grow others.

WIFE ACCUSES HIM.

Walter Vrooman Defendant in a Divorce Suit Brought on the Grounds of Infidelity.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS-P.M.)

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) May 17.—Walter Vrooman, founder of the Peoples Trust and Western Cooperative Company and their gigantic Utopian schemes, in which he spent hundreds of thousands of dollars, is the defendant in a divorce suit brought by his wife, who supplied him with a quarter of a million dollars to carry out his schemes. She was formerly Miss Annie Graham, an heiress of Baltimore.

She gave her husband one-third of her fortune of \$750,000 to be used in furtherance of his schemes, as she was fascinated by the idea of establishing him in uplifting humanity. He came to Trenton, Mo., where he founded the Peoples Trust and Western Cooperative Company, and operated from Kansas City as headquarters. When the two latter concerns failed, last fall, Vrooman bought up all of the stock and saved the investment in it from financial loss. The Trenton school was moved to Chicago last month.

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and others filled the windows and doors several rows deep. A small platform, built around the corner of the church, supported the pastor and one or two assistants, while all around were gathered his parishioners. A wagon or so, drawn from the outside, upheld a concourse of amateur photographers, and all around was a whirl of curious Causus. The speaker was inquisitively anxious to know what was going on.

In the center, placed within the shadow of the stone, were a discipline of the African Methodist Episcopal

Church members, who were the guests of honor at the annual Episcopate of the African Methodist Episcopal Episcopal Review, Christian Recorder, South Christian Recorder, Southern Christian Recorder, Christian Recorder, and the Christian Recorder, the Liberator, the Enterprise, the Los Angeles Times and the Los Angeles Herald, a full and complete list of the names of the church and Sunday-school, the names of the President of the United States, the Governor of California and the Mayor of the City of Los Angeles, the official Sunday-school roll. The ceremonies attending the placing of the cornerstone were conducted entirely by the pastor, with the assistance of the official board. After the singing of the Doxology, the benediction was pronounced with the benediction, given by Rev. C. C. Holford.

was spoken in and through a human being and therefore in a language comprehensible to man. God continues to reveal His Son to men, in man and through men. The great fact of the incarnation is the revealing of God on a level of all the ages. God is read in the world as reflected in the lives of His followers.

THE MESSAGE. The ultimate purpose of God's work through Paul apart from his own salvation was that he might preach the unsearchable riches of the glory of Christ. He thought that he might be the message bearer to those that sit in darkness and the shadow of death. God so uses men today to declare the matchless story of Christ's redeeming love to the sons of earth."

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In a fit of jealous rage because T. B. Randolph, colored, was talking to a girl of his acquaintance, F. Gonmiales made a deliberate attempt to murder his rival on North Los Angeles street, near the Plaza at 12:30 o'clock this morning. At a range of less than three feet he fired at Randolph with a .38 revolver. He was immediately arrested.

Gonmiales asserted that Randolph had assaulted him, and was beating him when the shot was fired, but Randolph

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doors several rows deep. A small platform, built around the corner of the building, was used by the pastor and two assistants, while all around were gathered his parishioners. A number of men, drawn from the neighborhood, upheld concourse of trustees, photographers, and all around was a white sea of curious, expectant, and impatiently anxious to know what was going on.

To the right, placed within the shadow of the stone were a discipline of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, copies of the African Methodist Episcopal Review, Christian Recorder, and the Negro World, the day-school Monitor, Christian Recorder, the Negro World, the Negro World, and the Los Angeles Herald; a full display of the church's Sunday-school, the names of the President of the United States, and the names of the county and city officials, and finally, the official Sunday-school roll of the church.

The service of the stone was brief and simple, and was conducted entirely by the pastor, who, with his assistants, stood on the board. After the singing of the Doxology, the congregation was dismissed with a benediction, given by Rev. C. C. Holford.

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Gonzales asserted that Randolph had assaulted him, and was beating him when the shot was fired, but Randolph and a number of persons who witnessed the shooting declared that it was deliberately done without other provocation than that Randolph refused to stop talking to a woman named Mary Fern. Randolph was in a hallway

and Gonzales on the sidewalk when he thrust the muzzle of the weapon almost against the negro's head and fired, powder burning one side of his face. The prisoner asserted that he will lend self-defense.

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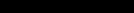
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THREATENED LYNCHING IN SAN BERNARDINO.

BITTER FEELING AMONG FRIENDS OF MURDERED MORAN.

Frank Barton, the shooter, removed from the city to prevent possible second tragedy—Funeral of the victim yesterday.

SAN BERNARDINO, May 11.—A second tragedy was threatened last evening as a result of the killing of Gilbert E. Moran, a Santa Fe switchman, by Frank Barton, a San Francisco vaudeville actor, Friday night. Feeling among the friends of Moran—said he had many, particularly railroad men—reached such a tense stage that open talk of lynching the slayer was heard in several instances, and there were indications that something might happen unless some action was taken. The sheriff accordingly removed Barton from the county jail and from the city. This was quietly done for fear the bitterness of the murdered switchman's friends should be given vent in a desperate way. Barton has been held to answer to the Superior Court for murder.

This afternoon the funeral of the victim was held, and there was a large attendance. Mass was celebrated at the Catholic Church by Rev. Father Caballero, after which interment was made in the city cemetery.

The circumstances that led to the fatal shooting are not yet clear, though a number witnessed the affray. The town is considerably stirred over the tragedy.

FAIR AFTERMATH. The committee, consisting of Mrs. Florence D. Draper, M. S. Severance and Seth Marshall, has awarded the special prize of \$50 offered by Dr. J. N. Baylis to the floats of the Santa Fe team, and the second prize of \$25 offered by L. E. Bernard, to the floats entered by the children of the public schools. The prizes were offered for the best conceived and best executed features of the fair.

The closing exercises at the thrice last night, when the Queen and her court made their final appearance, were finely carried out, and were witnessed by a large crowd. Capt. O. P. Sloan, master of ceremonies for the evening, and James Fleming, president of the fair Executive Committee, made speeches appropriate to the occasion, dwelling on the importance of continued unity of action in matters relating to the future welfare and upbuilding of the county, and were liberally applauded. The prizes, already mentioned, were then awarded, when the members of the committee retired, and the thrice was given over to the vaudeville artists.

A pleasant feature of the last day of the fair was the presentation to the Whittier School Band of a handsome silver cup, on the occasion of the "San Bernardino City to the Whittier Band." The presentation speech was made by H. H. Hanford, the Whittier boys were also presented with a purse of \$5, raised by George M. Colby, which will be applied to the purchase of new instruments.

BERDOO BRIEFS. George Curtis Osborn, the three-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Osborn, and a grandson of Deputy Marshal R. H. Curtis, died yesterday. The funeral service was held this morning at the family residence.

The Crown of Los Angeles defeated the Santa Fe side of this city in the game of baseball played yesterday afternoon at Association Park, by a score of 18 to 0.

There were several fights on Third street last night, in one of which Charles Hudson got an ugly knife wound in the back, inflicted by an unknown person.

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RIVERSIDE. CO-OPERATIVE HOUSEKEEPING. RIVERSIDE, May 11.—Co-operative housekeeping is to be given a practical test in Riverside. A dozen or so well-known families have secured the Gleason cottage on Sixth street for headquarters, and next Monday they will commence taking their meals there.

The Executive Committee for the three months consists of L. A. Boyer, C. R. Stubbins and G. C. Merrill, who with President Francis Curtis is preparing the by-laws of the organization.

A large excursion of Presbyterians from the East, en route to the General Assembly in Los Angeles, will arrive in Riverside Wednesday afternoon at 12:45 o'clock, and will stop two hours. Secretary Streeter of the Riverside Chamber of Commerce asks that all citizens who can assist will furnish carriages to assist in driving the visitors about the city and valley, send their names and the seating capacity of their vehicles at once to Chamber of Commerce headquarters.

and Mrs. O. D. Vaughan. Harley E. Smith has returned from San Francisco, where he was graduated from the College of Pharmacy.

Mrs. Walter Evans and children of Worthington, Minn., are guests at the home of Dist. Atty. Lyman Evans. J. C. Hardman and Ray Jessup left today for a three-weeks' camping trip in the mountains near Bear Creek.

Rev. Dr. and Mrs. W. N. Page of Leavenworth, Kan., are guests at the home of H. M. Streeter. Mrs. A. N. Younger entertained a company of lady friends yesterday afternoon. She was assisted in receiving by her mother, Mrs. N. A. Phillips.

Memorial Day services will be held this year at Fairmount Park. C. E. Runney will preside and J. G. North, Esq., will deliver the oration.

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READY ARMY WORK ON FORAGE MARCHES.

PEST IS CAUSING MUCH DAMAGE IN ORANGE COUNTY.

Alfalfa fields at Garden Grove and Gardens at Fullerton—Attempt to Lasso Town Cows Ten Dollars—Peace Disturber Stays Away.

ANAHEIM, May 11.—The deadly army or cut worm seems to be invading portions of the county. In Garden Grove they are doing considerable damage in the alfalfa fields, and in the Fullerton and Anaheim districts gardens and flower yards are suffering. Between Anaheim and Santa Ana a school of these cut worms, most of them three inches in length, was seen crossing the road going west, and between Fullerton and La Habra Friday hundreds of the larger size worms crossed the road in a westerly direction. It is said that the weather is the only thing that will exterminate this pest, which will cost the farmers of this county thousands of dollars.

NOTES AND PERSONALS. About 150 passengers from Anaheim and Fullerton, went to San Bernardino this morning on the Glinda beach train's special train.

L. Small of Olive has sold his barn, place to H. B. Bass, recently from Bakersfield.

John Morales paid a fine of \$10 yesterday for attempting to lasso the entire city while loaded up on cheap drag rope, which he calls "shepherd's delight."

G. C. Cuddeback is having a cottage built on the corner of Third and Olive.

F. J. Decker, who left town while under arrest two weeks ago, forfeiting \$100 cash, which he had given to another charge upon his arrival here from Los Angeles Wednesday.

Agent Grim of the local lumber yard yesterday returned to the 1816-1818 lot on the corner of Elm and Los Angeles streets, north of the lumber-yard, where he is erecting a building for the property by building on it soon.

Mrs. Hart of Durango, Colo., is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Olive.

F. Conrad, proprietor of the local brewery, retired yesterday from San Francisco yesterday of the death of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Christine Leveque, aged 75 years. She is wealthy.

The High School Athletic Club gave a very pleasant social hop at the Hotel Del Campo Friday evening. Fritz Yungblut and Tom Scott have been ill several days. This section will produce the largest crop of raspberries this season ever grown in the county.

VALLEY PICKINGS. The old Nat Burwell ranch of sixty-three acres in the Potis, Borden and Sidwell tract, has been purchased by Samuel P. Wright.

Secretary W. B. Snow of the Chamber of Commerce is conducting an active campaign to run up the membership to 250, in anticipation of the needs and work of the body when it maintains quarters of its own and conducts a local exhibit. Within two weeks a new membership drive will be on foot.

The officers of the First Baptist Church and the pastor, Rev. J. J. Garnett, conducted a successful Friday evening.

Patrons have been held by Salie L. Rogers against William S. Rogers for divorce.

Rev. Dr. T. C. Miller preached in the First Methodist Church today, delivering the anniversary address to the Epworth League in the evening.

G. N. Williams, aged 55, died yesterday at his home, 100 West Orange. Funeral services will be held tomorrow at 10:30 at the residence.

Addressed by the Rev. Dr. Miller, who today, driving clouds of dust through the streets.

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FULLERTON. COTTAGE IN ASHES. Fullerton, May 11.—Pien Huddleston's cottage and contents burned to the ground today at noon on the Brea Canal Oil Company's lease. Not even a piece of clothing, except what he and his wife had on, was saved.

After Mrs. Huddleston had prepared the noon meal, she walked to the well, where Mr. Huddleston was at work, and the cottage caught fire from a gas stove. Nothing was covered by insurance, and the loss was heavy. A coast wind has been blowing here all day, but no damage is reported.

SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY. MONSTER DEVILFISH CAPTURED. SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES. SAN LUIS OBISPO, May 11.—M. Simms, a fisherman of Port Harford, while on a fishing trip, caught a monster devilfish, which measured thirteen feet and four inches across the body.

The monster was taken from the seine boat a forty-pound codfish, partly consumed, in its tentacles.

HERE AND THERE. Mr. Lawrence, a seventy-seven-year-old carpenter, while engaged in building a house near Fullerton, fell from the building and broke his leg.

Miss Amy F. Major, a tourist from New Jersey, was found dead in her bed Wednesday morning. She was evidently expecting to return to her home here, as she had among her effects a card stating what to do in case of her death. Her body was shipped to Bloomington, Ill.

The Southern Pacific Milling Company, for the purpose of its employees, Saturday at Santa Ysabel Springs. About two hundred and fifty attended.

Mr. J. C. Ricketts, who has been the Southern Pacific Company's agent at Longport, has been promoted to the management of the Paso Robles office, in place of Mr. Earl, who has been sent to the head office at San Francisco.

Frank E. Tomassini of Cayucas and Elias Tomassini of Oso Placo were married at the home of the bride, both parties belong to the wealthy class of the Swiss population.

SANTA MARIA. CHILD ACCIDENTALLY KILLED. (BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) Santa Maria, May 11.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) Victor Stoval, 12 years old, was shot and instantly killed by a rifle ball about noon today. The boy had been hunting with a brother and a lad named Thomas Bellany. At the time of the accident he was walking to the left of Bellany, who carried his rifle over his left arm. Suddenly and without the slightest warning Bellany's gun was discharged and the ball struck the younger Stoval, blowing away part of the child's skull. For a few minutes breath remained in the body, and he hoped that there might be a chance to save him the parents called a doctor. However there was no chance, for when the doctor arrived life was extinct. The coroner's jury found that the child came to his death accidentally from the discharge of a rifle in the hands of Thomas Bellany. Bellany is 15 years old.

Conservative Life Helps Los Angeles

Extract from Editorial in Los Angeles Times, March 18, 1903.

Some years ago a well-known Los Angeles banker, now gone before, expressed to the editor of this journal the opinion that Los Angeles was destined to become a great financial centre, drawing money from all over the United States, a center of heavy financial operations (including life insurance.) Where great industrial and commercial operations may be financed. There is no good reason why his prediction should not be fulfilled. A beginning has been made by the establishment of a first-class life insurance company in this city, the second to be established on the Pacific Coast, the other being located in San Francisco. Few people stop to consider what the possibilities are in this direction.

Roughly estimated, \$7,000,000 is collected annually from California as life insurance premiums, and sent East to build up Eastern cities. About half this amount comes back. The business constantly grows and since the outgo is first and the inflow only at the maturity of policies, the amount of business constantly increasing, this ratio is about right.

Los Angeles is as well located for a life insurance company as is Milwaukee. Milwaukee receives an inflow of money

amounting to about \$30,000,000 yearly by virtue of one life insurance company located in that city.

Take another comparison. Des Moines, Iowa, the headquarters of a number of companies, has the largest postal receipts in proportion to its population of any city in the country, by virtue of the life insurance companies centered there. The same is relatively true of Hartford, Ct., for the same reason.

Banks and other similar institutions are circumscribed by the needs of people who can come to their doors, or their counters, but an insurance company is capable of indefinite expansion. A two-cent stamp brings an application for life insurance just as easily from Maine or Minnesota as it does from Pasadena.

Would it not be a good thing for Los Angeles and Southern California if we could have twenty or thirty millions of dollars pouring into this city, collected from all sections of the country? Could we not profitably use this money for investment, and for the development of our natural resources? The Times commends this suggestion to all who are interested in the progress and prosperity of the City of the Angels.

OUR WATER FRONT.

From San Pedro, Port for Los Angeles. (REPORTED DAILY FOR THE TIMES.) ARRIVED—SUNDAY, MAY 11. Schooner Carolina, Capt. Westerland, 3 days from Long Beach. Schooner Ida McKay, Capt. Lohde, 4 days from Eureka.

Sailed—SUNDAY, MAY 11. Schooner Carolina, Capt. Westerland, 4 days to San Francisco. Schooner Ida McKay, Capt. Lohde, 5 days to San Francisco.

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